

AURORA, ILLINOIS, TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1917.

PRICE ONE

## A MOVE FOR PEACE

IGHT FROST TONIGHT;  
SOME WARMER WEDNESDAY.MINISHING NORTHWEST WINDS  
BECOMING VARIABLE.

The weather forecast for Chicago and vicinity: Bright and cool, with a chance of light rain. Light frost Wednesday, fair and a little less warm, diminishing northwest winds becoming bright variable.

Sunrise, 5:45 a.m.; sunset, 6:45 p.m.; moon, 2017 a.m. Wednesday. Temperature for 24 hours preceding 12 o'clock today: Maximum, 42; minimum, 38; mean, 40; normal for the day, 45; deficiency since January 1, 324.

ALLIES GIVEN  
SEIZED SHIPSInterned German Liners Turned  
Over to France and Italy  
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## TROOP SHIP SENT DOWN

Washington, May 1.—The Hambruck-American Liners Paul and Clara Mennig, at New York, have been turned over to the American government for use of the entente allies. One ship will go to France and the other to Italy.

Troop Ship Lost.  
London, May 1.—A ship, the Persian and Oriental, the steamer Ballast, of 11,120 gross tons, which was used as a troop ship, was sunk recently by a German submarine. All the troops were saved.

The Ballast was carrying troops from Australia to England. The soldiers were rescued by British torpedo boat destroyers and trawlers.

NORTH DAKOTA GOVERNOR  
URGES FOOD CONTROL

By Associated Press, Special Wire.

Washington, May 1.—Governor Frazee of North Dakota told the Senate agricultural committee today, he believed the farmers of his state would not object to enacting strict rationing of food products.

We have no use for drugs, he said, the gamblers in the markets, and the government, and there is no reason they should not be set by drugs."

The "firm" Governor Frazee said, has produced, legs in the past few years, because he has not been getting a living wage and he has often sold his strength at a loss."

Presenting his petition, he said, was not easy, as he believed complete might do.

"It is my desire to tell the government from the podium to the progress. There is no reason why a fair day's work should pass this four or five hours from the farmer so the miller sends out of that four or five from the miller to the consumer."

The governor agreed with Senator Wadsworth there should be some agency to make a market for the farmer and senator Keay said that tonight it is possible to declare it a crime for any person to buy food products to hold "for an unreasonable profit."

"You think the Chicago board of trade legalizes anybody any good?" asked Senator Keay.

"Something it has, and sometimes it has not," replied the governor.

QUINCY ASKS FEDERAL  
CONTROL OF FOOD PRICES

By Associated Press, Special Wire.

Quincy, Ill., May 1.—Governor Frazee of the state of Illinois, who has included in his proposed state constitution a resolution calling for the city council here, the bill also asks for federal and state laws prohibiting storage of foodstuffs and manipulating of prices and asks that of federates classes as undesirable citizens for trial.

The resolution will be sent to the state legislature and the congressional representatives will be requested to use their influence for the passage of such law.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS  
PLAN A NEW REGIMENT

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Chicago, May 1.—The military order of the Spanish War Veterans has made applications in a letter forwarded to the war department for authority to organize an additional national guard regiment, to be known as the Ninety Illinois Infantry.

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May 1, 1917—Spoon river navigation. Flatboats loaded with about 120 tons of pork and bacon left Elkhorn, in the interior of Fulton county, and passed safely down the Spoon river into the Illinois. These boats were upward of 70 feet in length, 17 feet in breadth, and belonged to Isaac Sawyer Jr., an enterprising citizen of Elkhorn.

#### THE HOSPITAL CAMPAIGN.

Having successfully disposed of the \$10,000 needs of the Boy Scouts of Aurora for the next few years, the people of this city will now turn their attention to the Aurora City hospital campaign which begins next Friday morning.

Aurora is intensely proud of this institution for it has been built and equipped with Aurora money, and that money raised by the people; not the gift of some one man or organization.

When the hospital campaign was staged several years ago it resulted in the erection of the present building the plan had not contemplated the expenditure of so much money. But the board of directors and prominent citizens, with whom they conferred believed that a much more efficient plant could be established by spending a proportionately small amount of money and that was done.

Now the people are asked to pledge \$100,000 to cover the debt of \$40,000 on the building and to establish a \$100,000 endowment fund, the interest of which will keep up the yearly deficit.

The Beacon News is confident that the people of this city will come forward in their usual whole-hearted way and dispose of this proposition in short order.

The City Hospital, instead of being a money-making is a money-losing institution. But what it lacks in money it makes up for in a thousandfold in the health and happiness of the people.

#### OFF TO THE FRONT.

It was a sad day in Aurora in April, 1861, when the first men from this city left for the front in the civil war. But hearts did not beat any faster and patriotism did not burn with brighter glow than when our first contingent of high school boys took the train yesterday on their way to join the army.

Aurora has always been at the front in sending men to the front.

A company left here for Mexico, the community sent more, its share to follow Mason and Dixon's line; the response at the time of the Spanish-American war was immediate, the two companies of the Third were eager to start for the Mexican border last year and now comes the recruits for the war against Germany.

Aurora has received good reports from her boys at front. However, they may be, whether with the line of defense on the battleships or with the line of defense in the trenches in France. You let me understand that in the opinion of the ty and naval experts in Washington the United States will be called upon to furnish millions of men for service before the war is brought to a close. The duty of the folks at home is plain. It is the duty of the workers at the front in France that requires the men to yallow service as to back of them stand a united people.

#### WHAT'S THE ANSWER?

Message of the telegraph news that comes by wire into The Beacon-News office, mine states us in the face.

Next page is a statement by a leading test that there is plenty of wheat and high price of flour is due to "scare."

#### ANSWER?

HE SWISS DEFENSE. Authorities in Europe agree that Switzerland would have been swept by the summer of 1914 had it not been Switzerland's army.

German were halted in their drive under King Albert of Belgium and the British a chance to get

Belgium both had universal service and had had for years, Belgium of national defense begins with schools.

Compulsory in both public and private are three grades, from the school until the ninth year, 13 to the end of the school

the young men join a cadet corps. These are volunteer organizations furnished rifles with which in 120 hours a year training, instruction with target

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#### YOUR HEALTH

(By JOHN B. HUBER, A.M., M.D.)

Give him air—he'll straight he well.—Shakespeare.

What we do for Spring Fever. Come spring we ought to do with our bodies just as a good housewife does with her house. She has a spring cleaning; so ought we also to our individual constitutions. In other words, we ought to renew the physiological, the hygienic life. First of all we must see that the emunctories—the bowels, the kidneys and the skin—are acting properly. This assured in most cases all the rest shall be added unto you—physically anyway. Besides one must rise betimes, bathe well, eat slowly three meals of wholesome food the day; be in the sun and the open air a great deal; drink generously of water, at least between meals; sleep at least eight hours; and get some exercise every day. The combination of pure air, water and food means pure blood; and this in turn means well balanced metabolism; a medical term for the conversion in the body of oxygen and wholesome well diluted foodstuffs into healthy organs, muscles, bones and fibres.

Then, as good many people will not be happy unless they are taking medicine, any druggist will make up the following "Spring Tonic": One half ounce each of fluid extract of condurango and of tincture of rhubarb; and two ounces of compound syrup of sarsaparilla; A teaspoonful in water before each meal.

There are at least three diseases that we have to guard against, particularly in springtime. The first of these is spring typhoid. Second is spring cholera; a severe and oftentimes fatal kind of diarrhoea which prevails with the melting snows. From these snows there are washed into wells, brooks and other streams all kinds of impurities that have collected along the banks during the successive snowfalls of the preceding winter. Another unhealthiness at this time is the spring cold which comes about thus: 1. The body becomes susceptible by reason of the abrupt changes from cold to warm weather in the early months of the year. 2. There is the dust which the spring winds raise, and which contains many impurities, but especially the germs of consumption, bronchitis, grippe and pneumonia. Predisposed people, breathing that dust, are like to come down with one of another of those diseases.

#### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

What to Drink. What is best to drink at meal time, or is it best not to drink anything?

Answer—Some fluid at meals is always right, water, coffee (2 cups in 24 hours) also, if desired, tea (2 cups in 24 hours), and milk. One should get at least six tumblersful of fluid all told into the system every day; no food is ever right absorbed into the system that is not thoroughly liquidized.

#### A Ragged Tongue.

I have a very ragged tongue. At all times it gets full of white blisters. It often splits at the top. And there is a little growth on the side of it. It looks sometimes as if it were going to bleed. I have been told it comes from my teeth being too close together.

Answer—Such a trouble may be due to the irritation of a rough or broken tooth; or there may be a syphilitic ulcer; or the cause may be chronic liver disease, diabetes, dysentery or cancer. The matter may therefore be serious. See a doctor about it at once. If you were a man I should greatly fear cancer.

#### REASONABLE PROFIT ONLY.

So these men think that the manufacturers of the country should be glad to serve in the relatively safe

and easy way of being satisfied with a reasonable profit, and they have told the manufacturers so. Their

office is besieged for 10 hours a day

of their profits; for the man that goes out and gets killed loses 100 per cent of all he's got.

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#### Council of National Defense

III. Practical Patriots

(By Frederic J. Haakin.)

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Dr. Frank M. Sanitation Surgeon, who is an army surgeon with a lifelong knowledge of merchandise. They have joined the manufacturers thru the trade journals that under the emergency legislation which congress has passed, the government has power to requisition factories and run them. They do not believe, however, that it is going to be necessary for the government to do so. Most of the manufacturers with whom they have come in contact are willing to "do the fine big thing"—they have grasped the ideal of service which is the present spirit of America.

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found the fallen tree to which he

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one of the two clubs that Sandy

used to beat wounded Kazan into

misery. It was covered

blood and hair, and all at once

Wolf lay back on her haunches

turned her blind face to the sky;

there rose from her throat a cry

Kazan that drifted for miles on

wings of the south wind. *Grey Wolf* given quite that cry

to. It was not the "call" it

comes with the moonlit nights,

neither was it the "hunting cry," nor

she-wolf's yearning for matehood

carried with it the lament of des

And after that one cry *Grey W*

slunk back to the fringe of bush

the river, and lay with her

turned to the stream.

(To be continued.)

Some society women are

in their part in the interest of

em, and are shortening

their dresses on both ends.

CHAPTER XXII.

At his words every voice was stilled.

Kazan had turned. He was facing the

huge Dane. And the Dane had turned

his eyes to Kazan. Cautionously, pre-

pared for a lunge or a stab, Kazan

shoulders bristled. He too, advanced

upon Kazan. Four feet apart they

stood rigid. One could have heard

a whisper in the room now.

Sandy and Harker, standing close to the

case, scarcely breathed. Splendid in

every limb and muscle, warriors of

a hundred fights and fearless to

the point of death, the two half-wolf

visitors of man stood facing each other.

None could see the questioning look

in their hearts yet. None knew that

in this thrilling moment the phaser

of the wonderful Spirit of God of

the wilderness hovered between them,

and that one of its miracles was de-

scending upon them. It was under

the stars they had

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## WANT WEEKLY AUTO SALES REPORT LAW

Aurora Automobile Club Votes to Ask Legislature for Home Such Measure.

World-Enable Ruleker Prosecutions of Violations of Laws, Is Belief.

The Aurora Automobile club at a meeting last evening decided to ask the Illinois legislature to amend the law relating to the licensing of automobiles so as to provide for compelling all Illinois persons who sell automobiles to make a weekly report of their sales to Illinois residents to the secretary of state.

Such a procedure would enable the secretary of state to order prosecution of motor vehicle owners who do not pay state taxes. Club members think that there are some in Aurora who evade paying the state license fees.

The club has since its organization made a study of the problem of motorists. Several amendments to the state laws and some new laws are the result of agitations started by the Aurora club.

Year Date on Emblems.

It was voted last evening to have the year date placed on all the metal emblems given to each member to use on his automobile after he has paid annual dues. This might stop some motorists who were members of the year only from using the old emblems, it is believed.

More Paved Highways.

It was reported at the meeting that the proposed bill for a bond issue of \$10,000 for use in constructing new roads provides for a paved road between Aurora and Chicago via Nauvoo, one between Genesee and Elgin, and one between Elgin and Chicago.

Secretary John Wulffert of the club reported that 70 motorists had entered as members in the last two days.

The matter of new motor vehicle tags for Aurora is getting attention at the club. Plans for the trails which are being worked on are not ready for publicity. The headmasters of the contemplated trails will be in Aurora and Aurora men will be the chief officials.

At Discount—On all framing May, Stolp's Annex street.

ing the \$218.50—John Corder of the Broadway east, and comes in his home at 171 are still inquiring stolen from his bed the police

## Societies and Clubs

Tuesday  
Meeting of Jerusalem Temple  
E. & A. M. will  
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## Social Chatter

George Seldeman of the distributing force at the postoffice is taking a week's vacation for the purpose of making a garden.

Charles Tarkins is working at the postoffice in place of Warren Boyle, who is off duty on account of illness.

The Gamma Beta Gamma class of the First M. E. Sunday school was entertained at the regular meeting last evening by Miss Ethel Cooper at her home in Spring street. The regular business meeting was held after which games were enjoyed and later refreshments were served.

## REV. MORRILL BEGINS AUTO REVIVAL TOUR

The Rev. Herbert S. Morrill, survivor of the Morrill Twins evangelists, has started on his annual automobile evangelistic tour, opening at Pekin, Ill., this week. From Pekin he will go to Petersburg and thence thru the eastern states to New York city, where he will finish his campaign in the fall.

The Rev. Mr. Morrill is a licensed and ordained evangelist of the Baptist church, and is a member of the Inter-denominational Association of Evangelists. His travels entirely by automobile holding his revival meetings under the auspices of the churches in the cities visited.

For 15 years, he and his twin brother, Horace, traveled together, but since the latter's death in 1902, the Rev. Herbert Morrill has continued the work independently. His wife accompanies him on the tour.

## URGES CITY TIN CAN CREMATORIUM FOR AURORA

"Aurora needs a tin can crematory to rid the city of its tin cans," Attorney Charles Love said this morning. Other places where they have tried it out has proven very successful, he says.

It is not necessary for the city to build the crematory. In some cities junk dealers have their own tin can crematories and operate them on a good paying basis. With the city behind such an idea to the extent of hauling all tin cans to such a place Mr. Love thinks a crematory owned by private individuals would prosper. The method of utilizing tin cans is melting them in a crematory until the tin runs together and into solid lumps. It is then sold to rolling mills at a good price.

## CUT WEIGHT OF LOAF OF BREAD TO ONE POUND

The size of the 16-cent loaf of bread was cut down two more ounces today by one Aurora baker and other bakers will probably follow his example. In the near future, it was said a local baker this morning. The loaf of bread of the past few has weighed one pound and a total of 18 ounces. Be it will weigh one ounce.

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## ALL READY FOR \$100,000 RUSH

Campaign for Aurora Hospital to Be Launched at Thursday Evening Dinner.

## SEEK HOSPITAL SERMONS

The seven-day \$100,000 campaign for the Aurora city hospital will be launched at a dinner in Memorial hall, Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock. The executive committee has issued dinner invitations to the workers of the organization, a small army. As the dinner will mark the formal opening of the campaign it will be in the nature of an inspiration meeting. Every worker is earnestly requested to be present.

Ex-United States Senator A. J. Hopkins and several other men of prominence have been asked to speak. The executive committee hopes that a number of special subscriptions to the fund may be announced at this time. E. T. Honey, associate campaign director of C. W. Lee who is here, is expected from Kansas City, to take up the intensive work with the members of the organization.

The large clock being erected in front of the Memorial building will be ready for the opening of the campaign. The face of the clock is 14 feet in diameter. Each day the progress of the campaign will be shown on the clock. The teams doing the best work each day will have the honor of moving the hands of the clock, showing how much has been subscribed.

The Rev. F. E. Brandt of Trinity Episcopal church has asked the ministers to co-operate with the campaign fund committees and to make Sunday, May 6, Hospital day in the Aurora churches.

An enthusiastic meeting of the men and women captains was held last night in Memorial hall. The responsibility of the work is becoming more and more apparent to the workers now and they are taking hold with great determination.

General Chairman F. G. Adamson is devoting practically all of his time to the work and will do so until the campaign is over. Mr. Adamson is a big source of stimulation not only to the executive committee but the heads of all the committees.

## REFER SALOON ORDINANCE

The city council, at a special session last night, voted to refer the saloon limit ordinance back to the committee on license, printing and ordinance for further amendments. After the measure had been read by City Clerk Groppen, the aldermen agreed that there should be changes made in several of the clauses. The councilmen desire an ordinance which will make it impossible for a saloon keeper to sell his license. Another meeting of the council will be held tonight when the amended ordinance will probably be taken up for passage.

## TO REPEAT "PE. BODY PEW"

The play, "The Old Peabody Pew," was recently given so successfully by the women of the Fourth Methodist church will be requested Friday evening of Odd Fellows' hall for Minnehaha Rebekah Lodge.

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## TO POLICE RANKS

The board of police and fire commissioners at a meeting last night reduced Detective Milton Smith to the rank of patrolman. As soon as his successor is appointed Detective Smith will travel a beat in unactive status. Detective Smith, who is the chief of police McCarty when he did not know what member of the department would be given Smith's place. The latter has been travelling in plain clothes for several years. He is one of the oldest members of the department.

A slouchy woman can look more so than a slouchy man, even tho she has no three days growth of beard.

WILL VISIT A Wednesday, May 2nd.



Dr. W. G. Coffey, the Oculist and Aurost, will make his next visit to Aurora, at the Bishop hotel, Wednesday, May 2. He will see patients from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. all day. Remember the date and send word to people you know suffering. He makes return visits every two weeks.

Dr. Coffey invites people suffering with any disease or weakness of the eyes, falling sight, or blindness, especially those suffering with weak eyes, eye strain, pain over eyes, redness, when the sight is just beginning to fail, and the doctors say you need glasses. Come and try this treatment one time free, and see how quick and complete it relieves the eyes. He has successfully treated many cases at Aurora that has suffered with granulated lids, wild hairs, ulcers, scabs, growth on eyes, sore eyes, painful headaches from eyes, floating spots before eyes, cataracts and falling sight from eye troubles. He says, don't let your eyes be operated on or put on glasses until you try his treatment one time free and see if it will help.

Dr. Coffey straightens crooked ears in three minutes, and the patient can talk to him while it is being done. He has straightened about 40 cases on his trip here. He removes a adenoid growth in two minutes without chloroform, and patient can go home without trouble.

He wants every person afflicted with deafness, loss of hearing or head noises. No matter how long they have been deaf or how deaf they are, they may be curable if the disease has not too badly injured the ear drum and middle ear. He has restored hearing to many people that have been deaf for years. He especially wants every person that is deaf in one ear and is gradually losing the hearing in the other, he says in most of these cases the disease is in the Eustachian tube, causing partial closure or collapse of the tube and ear drum. Many of these cases get immediate relief from one free treatment. He wants every case of catarrh to come and try his treatment once free. It gives immediate relief.

He says that catarrh is a constitutional disease and must be removed from the system. He says that every case of catarrh should be curable with this treatment. His treatment is something different from anything that you have used, and he wants you to try it and see if it won't help you. It is a combination of local absorbing remedies and certain forms of massage, and then treatment for the blood and system. The patient uses this at home. The cost is very small. He has restored good hearing to many cases here, he accepts no case that he thinks is inoperable, but if the structures are not seriously damaged by the disease, it may help or cure you. Try it and see. He has treated over 32 years and has treated hundreds of cases. He invites every one suffering with these trou' come and get his opinion. thinks he can help them he then a thorough treatment tell them how long it takes them to get well, what and all about it. You no obligations to pay or take further treatment. wish. Remember their information.

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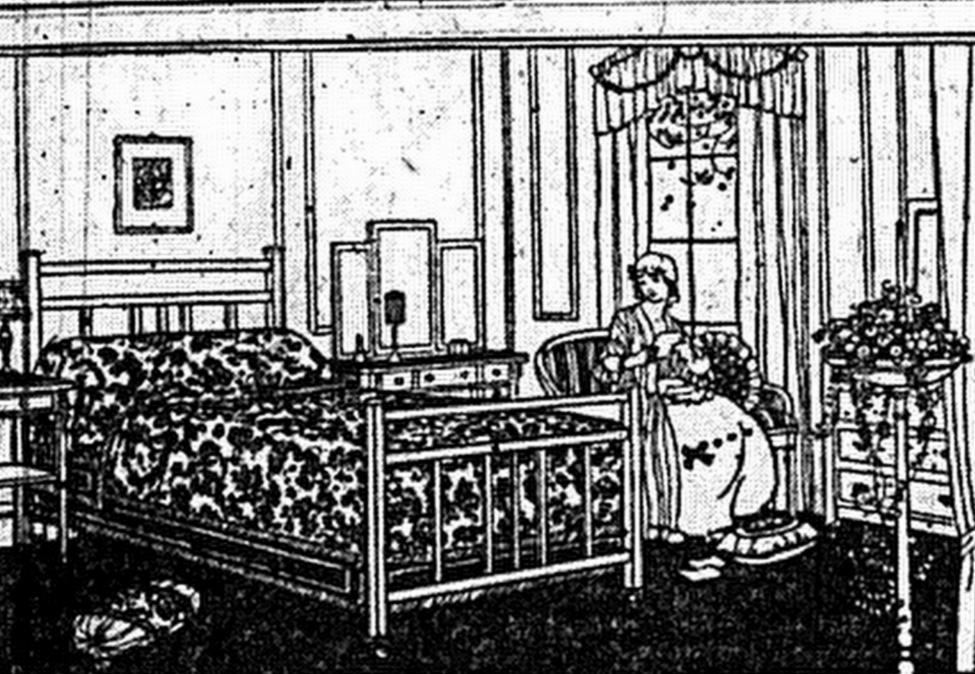
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REDUCE YOUR WEIGHT. TAKE  
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Take a bath daily in the open air, bathe deeply, and get from any drugstore a small box of oil of rosemary, camphor, and other medicinal and aromatic ingredients at night. Also follow the simple directions that come with the box. A testing supply of oil of rosemary, camphor, and other ingredients, will be mailed to you in the plain envelope if you write to Corral's Company, 1054 Arcade, East 22nd Street.

Weigh yourself every few days and keep up the treatment until you are down to normal. Oil of rosemary is naturally a pleasant oil to take, helps the digestion, and even a few days' treatment has been reported to show a noticeable reduction in weight. —Ady.

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## Obituary

## J. T. CaaS.

A telegram was received this morning by Mrs. Susan CaaS of 625 New York street telling of the death of her son, Attorney J. T. CaaS, of Tacoma, Wash., this morning.

Deceased was born and raised in Aurora and graduated from the East High school. Thirty years ago he left Aurora for Tacoma where he has practiced law since.

Besides his mother of this city he is survived by a wife and 13 year old daughter at Tacoma and three brothers in Aurora, John F. Nicholas and J. B. CaaS. One sister, Mrs. Mary Williams, also of Aurora, survives. The mother and sister will leave tonight for Tacoma where the funeral will be held Saturday.

Miss Margaret Langdon.

Miss Margaret Langdon, 323 Kane street, who lived in Aurora during her entire life, died this noon at 12:30 o'clock at her home following a lingering illness of 20 months during which she was a patient sufferer. Miss Langdon was at one time employed by the Chicago Corset company and later with the Aurora Corset company. Surviving are two sisters, the Misses Mary and Elizabeth Langdon, of Aurora and three brothers, John and William, of Aurora, and James Langdon, of Hammond, Ind. Funeral notice later.

May Seize Auto Licenses.—Chief of Police McCarty announced today that the license numbers of all autos, parked in prohibited zones in the downtown district are being taken by members of the police department. The owners of the cars are to be prosecuted. "Don't park here" signs were set out in the downtown district several weeks ago but the police say that motorists are ignoring them.

Miss Mary Davis will be entertained by Miss Veronica Mars tonight at the home of Mrs. Margaret Herme in honor of her approaching marriage to M. E. Walters.

## AURORA ESTATES

Two Aurora estates were filed in the probate court at Geneva today. The estates are those of Thomas Hartley, with personal property worth \$4,000 and that of N. S. Elwood, having real estate worth \$3,000 and personal property valued at \$100. Public Administrator Nicholas Schlitz was appointed administrator of both estates.

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# AURORA DAILY BEACON-NE

## The Theaters

### In the Motion Picture World

STAR—Tonight—Fourth chapter of "The Voice on the Wire." Also a two act comedy.

TOMORROW—The Clash of Steel, and Eddie Lyons in a Nestor comedy.

STRAND—Tonight—George Beban in "The Bond Between," Max Linder in his latest comedy, "Max Wants a Divorce."

PALM—Tonight—Carlyle Blackwell and June Elvidge in "The Page Mystery."

TOMORROW—Charlotte Walker in "Mary Lawson's Secret."

OPHEUM—Tonight—Franklin Farnum and Ruth Stonehouse in "Love Never Dies." Also chapter 13 of "The Great Secret."

TOMORROW—Warren Kerrigan and Louise Lovelace in "The Social Buccaneer." Also chapter 12 of "The Secret Kingdom."

FOX—Tonight—Louise Glaum in "The Sweetheart of the Doomed," and a Keystone comedy.

TOMORROW—Douglas Fairbanks in "The Americano," and a comedy.

Build Court Room for Real.

Realism seems to be the keynote in motion picture productions at the present time. A producer is seldom happy unless he feels that he is getting every ounce of realism out of his picture that he can. A good example is in the picture "Her Better Self" in which Pauline Frederick stars. A great deal of the action of this story transpires in court, and the director being a slave to the lamp of realism obtained permission to have his cameraman photograph the court room of the supreme court in the criminal courts building. With these photographs as a basis, the studio stage manager was instructed to construct an exact duplicate of the court room. When the set had been constructed the studio scenic painter, who had accompanied the photograph party to the court, had every detail of color, including the famous pain, above the judge's chair copied, with the result that the court room, as it stands in the studio today, is a bona fide replica of one of the best known court rooms in New York city.

Ann, Back to Screen.

Ann Pennington, the little Ziegfeld "Follies" star who created such a sensation on the screen when she made her motion picture debut in "State Snowflake," has returned from long tour upon the stage and will again star upon the screen under the



FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN AND BEVERLY HAYNE IN THE GREAT SECRET

One of the prettiest scenes in Metro's serial, "The Great Secret," came after Beverly Clarke (Beverly Bayne) has made use of the large fortune left to her, the receiver, William Montgomery Strong (Francis X. Bushman), in her paternal home. She is sitting at a piano playing an old

melody when Strong, who has learned to love her in risking his life for her sake, declares his affection. But after the scene more perils threaten the young pair, and thus the great secret which is hidden in the last chapter of the serial begins slowly to unfold itself.

Later joined the "Red Widow" company, making her professional debut in that play.

After touring all over the country in "The Red Widow," Miss Pennington appeared in several other shows before her dancing attracted the notice of Mr. Ziegfeld and she was added to the "Follies." Here Miss Pennington scored a success and she has been a "Follies" star over three years.

"The Fight for Honor," the fifth of the "Jimmie Dale, Alias the Grey Seal" series is released. In this story the twin warns Jimmie Dale of the kidnapping of Steele's daughter and goes to the rescue.

Johnny Gray is writing subtitles for Dr. Kaeler's institute.

### Social Chatter

Mrs. Royal Bohrman of Beardstown, who has been visiting in Aurora for several days, returned home yesterday.

John Elsen of North Lake street, who has been ill for the past two weeks, is still confined to his bed.

Mrs. Ralph White of 561 New York street, who has been quite ill with quinsy, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Anderson of New York street have returned from Pandora, Ohio, where they were called on account of the death of Mr. Anderson's mother.

Adam Wolfeld Sr., aged 44 years, has been taken to St. Charles hospital for treatment.

Edward Murin has gone to New York city where he will attend the meeting of the Western Railroad association which is holding a session in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Barry of Chicago visited relatives in Aurora Sunday. Mr. Barry is a member of the G. A. R. and formerly lived in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Barry are the parents of Curtis Barry, the violin master, who died in Chicago a few years ago and of Harry and Frank Barry who were well known as musicians when they lived there.

Louis Sass of Fordham avenue was

surprised Saturday evening by 24 friends. A pleasant evening was spent and refreshments were served. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Laycock, Mr. and Mrs. William Retterer, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Horstman, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sass, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sass, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schlecker, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, William Sass, Miss Minnie Eye, Oscar Peterson, Miss Lillian Rottoski, Benjamin Backes, Miss Flora Sass, Henry Dumont, Miss Lulu Schneider, and Mrs. John Seibers.

Burlington Engineer Charles Blythe, who has been ill with a severe cold for the past several days, is improving.

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# THE AURORA

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## NEW GERMA

### HOLLWEG WILL SPEAK MAY 3

German Chancellor to Make  
Fresh Offer in Reichstag  
Thursday, Report.

### FRENCH REORGANIZING LINES

#### BULLETIN

By Associated Press Leased Wire.

The Hague, May 1, via London, 3:42 p.m.—Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, will make another peace offer in the Reichstag Thursday of this week, according to an announcement made today by the *Reichstag Tagesblatt*.

To Astorians.

"The world will be astonished by the moderation of the German peace terms," said the General-Anzeiger of Dusseldorf, Germany, quoting in a recent dispatch from Berlin a statement given out to foreign correspondents in Berlin. "For several weeks it has been intimated that Germans might soon make another peace offer, and recent information from Berlin showed that Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg was expected soon to make an announcement in regard to international questions, although heretofore no statement has come from a responsible quarter that a peace offer actually would be made."

For several months a controversy has been in progress in Germany as to the aims of the war. The socialists, vigorously opposed by the pan-Germans, are urging a clear statement of Germany's peace terms, on the basis of no annexation or indemnities. The chancellor was recently reported to have decided to defer definite formulation of peace proposals.

The announcement of the chancellor's plan to make a peace offer Thursday is given added weight by the fact that it appears in the *Tagesblatt*, one of the most widely circulated German newspapers.

British Raid.

London, May 1, 12:21 p.m.—"We made a successful raid last night north of Ypres," says today's official announcement from the Franco-Belgian front, "and captured few prisoners. Elsewhere there was nothing of special importance."

French Checked.

London, May 1, via London, 4:45 p.m.—French storming attack with tanks and French airplanes and five tanks were forced down.

Bombard Dutch Town.

The Hague, May 1, via London 12:45 p.m.—The Telegraph of Amsterdam says that the bombs which were dropped on Zierikzee did extensive damage and that the village is in ruins, more than 100 houses being smashed or damaged. A terrible panic prevailed in the town, says the newspaper, intensified by the play of the searchlights operated by the airmen.

It is declared that the bombs were dropped by mistake, the Telegraph adds, but were purposely launched. The nationality of the airplane has not been established.

Advices from Slavskil state that last evening two German airplanes appeared above Haavengen and disappeared in a southwesterly direction.

French Hold Ground Gained.

Paris, May 1, 12:07 p.m.—The French are re-organizing the positions held in the Champagne and no fighting occurred last night, according to today's official account of military operations.

"South of the Oise we repulsed a German attack on one of our small posts in the region of Barisis. Along the Chemin-des-Dames the artillery fighting was rather violent. In the sector between Troyon and Hurtebise patrol encounters occurred. A German reconnoitering party which attempted to approach our lines east of Hurtebise was driven back by our fire."

"In the Champagne the night passed in relative quiet in the sector of our attack, where our troops are re-organizing the captured positions. The number of prisoners captured by us in the fighting yesterday and actually enumerated is more than 400."

### NEW MUNITION STRIKE FLAMES OUT IN GERMANY

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London, May 1, 4:47 p.m.—"In the Rhine provinces more than half the munitions workers decided to strike today," writes the correspondent at The Hague of the Exchange Telegraph company. "These (are) the greatest group workers sent off from the ports of Germany and completely isolated from the world in order to prevent the slightest information about strikes at the Krupp works from leaking out. Strikes are general in small towns near the Dutch frontier."

### OBserve DEWEY DAY

Associated Press Leased Wire.

Washington, May 1.—Secretary Daniels, naval officers today made their May day observance of the anniversary of the battle of Manila bay.

The victor in that fight, Admiral Dewey, no longer lives to receive the congratulations of his associates, they were to his widow.

#### War Situation

May day has dawned with the armed hosts of England, France and Germany still locked fast in the most tremendous struggle of the whole world war. But the eyes of the world are fixed for the moment on the stage behind the battle line where, inside the closely guarded frontiers of the central powers, the bursting of the long brewing storm of discontent is awaited with a mingling of fear and hope.

Extraordinary measures have been taken by the rulers of the central empires to prevent the outside world from knowing what is transpiring within their borders. No German newspaper is allowed to pass into a neutral country and for the last 10 days all persons have been forbidden to leave Germany. Thus the scanty and dubious news formerly gleaned from the censored German press or from casual travelers has been completely cut off and the Teutonic empires are almost as isolated from the rest of the world as was ancient Japan.

Reports from Switzerland of vague and indefinite authority, assert that the troubled conditions in Germany have been intensified by a widespread outbreak of typhus, said to be especially prevalent in the great industrial regions. The epidemic is attributed to the growing food scarcity but the story, like many other similar ones, lacks confirmation from any reliable source.

The same yell which has been drawn over events in Germany and Austria obscures the situation in Sweden, where a great nation-wide demonstration by the workers was also planned for today. Since the outbreak of a couple of weeks ago when plotting took place in Stockholm the only news received as to conditions in Sweden has been the bare announcement that a general strike had been ordered by the labor leaders for May day, coupled with a warning to the government against undue interference.

On the fighting front in France little change has taken place for some days. The French are striking hard in Champagne and have made some gains but without, as far as the official communications go, materially altering the situation. The fighting in Macedonia, which was resumed on a wide front last week, is still in progress, but information regarding it repays too indefinite to judge whether the allies are engaged in a major offensive. In Mesopotamia the British are pushing steadily forward but here, too, details are too meager to throw a light on the extent of the campaign or the immediate objective of the British command.

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### BRITON WARNS OF SHIP FAMINE

America Must Save Allies—  
Present Tonnage Building  
Is Inadequate.

### U-BOAT LOSSES ARE HEAVY

#### BULLETIN

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
Washington, May 1.—The United States has already placed a considerable amount of ship tonnage at the disposal of the entente allies. Lord Eustace Percy, ship expert with the British mission said today that the government had supplied certain vessels to be used according to the allies' needs but refused to indicate what they were or if they were seized German ships.

#### CANNOT KEEP PEACE

Lord Percy declared that the present rate of British construction of ships and the present estimate American rate could not keep pace with the present rate of destruction by submarines.

"The halting figure in the war struggle," said Lord Percy, "is tonnage the United States can supply."

#### AGREEMENT REACHED.

Lord Percy's announcement was first intimation that the shipping conferences had actually reached an agreement. It was taken as a runner off a very wide degree of operation in which the present message and the future building policy of the country will be pooled by the allies to defeat the German marine menace.

Lord Percy stated that the mission had supplied the government with every detail concerning the problem including allied tonnage, total destruction of the U-boats, the irreducible tonnage, the present rate of construction abroad and the building plans. The American board, he said, had hearted to co-operate under standing of the situation.

#### IN GRAVES

"The shipping," said Lord Percy, "dominates and is very grave. present British still made American not keep pace do not stop."

### SHIP'S SURVIVORS

### WILL LAND TONIGHT

By Associated Press Leased Wire.

London, May 1, 1:14 p.m.—The survivors of the American oil tank steamer Vacuum, who will arrive in Liverpool at midnight, include Robert Williams, Oscar Galles, W. Lundberg, A. Hyl and Raymond Nunez. The details of the sinking on April 28 of the Vacuum have been received at the American embassy here but cannot be made public, it was explained today. The full particulars are in the hands of Rear Admiral Sims and the American naval attaché, who presumably have made reports upon them to Washington. The American consular officials will obtain the customary full affidavit from the officers and members of the crew who have already landed.

The following are other survivors who have been landed:

John Simpson, August Loops, William Orell, G. Witzman, Louis Purdy, J. Mauchel, Marc Singros, Camillo Dio, Andrew Leslie, Leslie J. Hutton, John Mekola, George Wilson and Frank Lasher.

#### CAPTAIN BELIEVED LOST.

New York, May 1.—Officials of the Vacuum Oil company here, in response to a cable to London asking for further details on the sinking of their steamship, today received the following:

"Harral, Captain, officially reported drowned. Further details later."

#### GUNNERS STILL MISSING.

Washington, May 1.—Consul-General Skinner at London, reporting the destruction of the ship, confirmed that Lieutenant Thomas, commander of the naval gun crew, some of his men, Captain Harris and some of his crew still are missing and probably lost.

Seventeen of the ship's crew and three of the naval gunners all in one boat, were rescued.

Pending receipt of more detailed official information the navy department will not make public the names of the gun crew.

First official news of the submarine destruction of the American tank steamer Vacuum with loss of some of the American gun crew, was received today by the government.

### CARRANZA BECOMES MEXICAN PRES

By Associated Press Leased Wire.

Mexico City, May 1.—Carranza will take office as the first constitution of Mexico since the ass. Francisco Madero on 1. At the same time, the national congress to be elected will convene in probably the most radical session of any important world.

At 6 o'clock this morning the national flag was flown at all public buildings. 21 guns heralded

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## AURORA WOMEN IN BABY WEEK

Are Co-operating In National Movement on Care of Infants in Summer.

### FINE EXHIBITION PROMISED

Aurora women are to co-operate in the national movement this week looking to the spread of information regarding the care of babies during the summer months.

On account of the restrictions placed by the state board of health, owing to the infantile paralysis epidemic last year, there will be no clinic as a year ago.

Instead the Metropolitan Life Insurance company has sent out from its Chicago office a very extensive booth arrangement giving all kinds of information regarding the care of the babies. This part of the display will be in the direct charge of W. H. Klenke, the deputy superintendent of the Metropolitan.

This booth is a very interesting affair and the company pays all the expense of sending it out and setting it up. There are 12 windows in the booth, with panels three feet, three inches by seven feet with decorative towers at the front. The Metropolitan also gives out literature on the care of babies printed in five different languages.

**North Broadway Rooms.**  
William Weigau, owner of the building at 27 North Broadway, where the old Miller cigar store was located for so many years, has donated the use of the rooms to the women for the exhibit.

The exhibit will be open each day from 8 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock in the evening, commencing tomorrow. Of course it will be free and all interested are urged to attend. The exhibit will also be open next Sunday.

J. M. Smely has donated some pains for decorations, and the Blauer Furniture company tables and chairs.

Mrs. J. R. Adams is chairman of the committee in charge and is assisted by the presidents of all the women's societies in the city interested in child welfare work.

### DROP CHRIS SORG WILL SUIT BY AGREEMENT

The suit filed in the circuit court at Geneva to contest the will of the late Christian Sorg was dismissed yesterday as a result of an agreement by the opposing forces.

It was announced today that a new suit will be started asking that the circuit court construe the will of the eccentric Aurora man who made his will not long before his death. He was 91 years old when he died.

The estate left by Sorg is valued at \$75,000. The will on file made bequests to many relatives and to several institutions, including the Aurora hospital, the Northwestern college at Naperville, and the German M. E. church of Aurora.

He also provided for a direct distribution of only \$2,000 of a sup-

vised \$75,000 estate.

### BIG DAY FOR JUNK MEN

Junk men reaped a rich harvest in Aurora today when small mountains of rubbish and junk were piled in front of nearly every home in the city. The junk collectors were at it all night, picking up everything that could be sold.

Bottles, copper bottoms of boilers, old iron and numbers of other articles were carted away by the junk men before the city teamsters started the cleanup work of hauling away the rubbish. One man sold \$45 worth of junk which he had gathered from the rubbish piles before

Superintendent of Streets Duffell announced today that the city teams will be kept busy until Saturday night, if necessary, in order to have all of the rubbish removed before Sunday.

John R. Zabriskie, corporal Edward Zabriskie, son of the late John Zabriskie, druggist, who was at one time in business at Geneva, has enrolled in the United States officers' reserve corps at Fort Sheridan and will go there within a few days for training.

## ANNUAL KANE COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS MEET

The annual meeting of the Kane County Highway Commissioners association will be held in the Geneva court house, Monday, May 7. The annual election of officers will take place and there will be other business matters given attention.

George Stanick, president, and A. M. Fitchie, secretary, announced that there will be four speakers as follows: E. L. Gates, superintendent of highways of DuPage county, supervisor L. C. Clyne of Maple Park chairman of the board of supervisor will speak in the forenoon. Representative H. A. Miron of Aurora and H. B. Bushnell of Aurora, division engineer of the state highway department, will speak in the afternoon.

### MAY DAY FINDS MANY MOVING IN AUROR

The customary signs of May day likewise, moving day for the dweller, appeared on the streets ear today. The transfer and storage companies report themselves rush from morning to night. Three of the larger companies reported that they were moving a total of 54 families and it is probable that as many more migrated by their own power or that of the smaller teamsters. The number of moves made today exceeds records of the past three years.

### AWAIT GARY DECISION

Judge Stein of the municipal court Chicago will render a decision in cases of Tommy Gary, former Aurora and Chicago heights police officer Michael Tordorich and John Prentiss Saturday. The trial of the two on charges of contributing the delinquency of two sisters, Charlotte and Marie Fuller, of St. Louis closed yesterday. The girls charged Tordorich enticed them to room in the Saratoga hotel and he and Prentiss attacked them. They claim they met Gary in another room at the hotel two days later. Gary testified that he knew the two girls but that he had never done them wrong. When they were taken into custody the girls were asked they knew and the first name came to their mind was Gary.

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### SIXTY ATTEND Y. M. C. A. MAY DAY BREAKFAST

Sixty early risers got out of bed in the cold gray dawn this morning to attend the May day breakfast give by the men of the Y. M. C. A. at the Y. W. C. A. cafeteria. The association cooks furnished a large breakfast and the entertainment was good. E. M. Joll furnished the man for the occasion with a jolliest talking machine, while W. T. Giles Mooseheart explained the school's workings. E. P. Heerr president as chairman of the breakfast.

The social event of the M. C. A. is to be a June picnic. The men and their families will up the river will be picked out an all day picnic arranged.

**As to Chickens.**—Aurora, Ill., 1, 1917. Editor The Beacon-News. An article in your paper last signed Felipe Curayre, states

imagined that chickens in his were mine because I had allowed chickens to run at large and I raised some chickens to breed to mine. He gave me his chickens last October, helping him Byrne catch them in his; had nothing to do with the that appeared in The Sunday Sun-News which told about before Justice Barlow. At night. A reporter was present the hearing, I presume, and was item. I was satisfied with Barlow's decision.—Charles J. J.

### CHAUFFEURS ORGANIZED

A meeting of the automobile chauffeurs' union of Aurora was last night in Charlemagne hall, matters pertaining to the organizing of the new union discussed. The first meeting held a week ago last night several members taken in. were to be elected at last meeting, but this action was until the next meeting, it is

The scale of wages, the us said today, has been set at to \$25 per week, according to the work.

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## BATAVIA PLEDGES FUND FOR FACTORY

Industrial Association Will  
Quickly Raise \$5,000 Neces-  
sary to Get Tractor Co.

New Industry to Send Men Out in  
Two Days to Begin Work of  
Moving Machinery.

Batavia, Ill., May 1.—At the meeting of the Batavia Industrial Association last night it was decided that the association would secure the Curtis Farm-A Tractor Company of Chicago for Batavia once.

Despite the fact that the weather was impossible for many members of the association to attend and a list in the work of raising the \$5,000 which is necessary to bring the factory to Batavia, the board of directors found that there were plenty of people willing to donate to the sum at about \$3,500, was subscribed during the evening. The committee report every effort to have the sum complete within the next three days.

The board of directors declared that the factory was too great an asset to Batavia to allow \$5,000 to stand in the way of getting it. Only three days are given to collect the sum.

The factory will occupy the Batavia Engineering Works plant 1 Main street and as they wish 60,000 feet for floor space it will be necessary to enlarge this plant at once. The tractor company men will come here within the next 48 hours as will begin to make plans for moving machinery. This is considered one of the biggest achievements of the Batavia Industrial Association as many cities have been making good offers.

The company will employ about 100 men to begin with and it is expected that there will be a number of families added to the city soon, including that of Mr. Wright, head of the firm, former superintendent of the Baldwin Locomotive company.

Frank W. Wolcott is erecting an office at the corner of East Wilson and Prairie streets east of the Burlington depot, where he plans to open a coal yards, in connection with his concrete work.

**To Bury Unknown Man.**  
The remains of the man killed at the North-Western railroad right-of-way near Moonbeam, ten days ago, held at the undertaking rooms of C. Hollis, if not claimed, will be buried tomorrow.

**John Lundberg.**  
John Lundberg, who has been a resident of this city for the past years, died at his home today in an illness of two years. Mr. Lundberg was born in Holland, Nov. 25, 1880. He leaves to mourn death a wife and two sons. The child will not be decided upon. His word has been received from sons who are in the east.

**Mrs. Carlson Better.**  
Mrs. Andrew L. Carlson of Main street, who has been critically ill with diphtheria in Chicago, was slightly improved today. Mrs. Carlson came to Chicago to care for her daughter, Mrs. Frank Campbell, who died of diphtheria and was brought to this city and buried Sunday afternoon. Carlson contracted the disease caring for her daughter and on May 25 reported critically ill.

**Clean-Up Week On.**  
Today is the first day of the annual clean-up week. All are urged to place rubbish on the parkings once so that the city teamsters do not have to repeat their trips.

**Morris Five Takes Three.**  
Morris Five played a match game last evening on Thomie's alley, won three straight games from Dick Five. Markson had high scores 225 and also high average of 298. Scores were as follows:

MORRIS FIVE	DICK'S FIVE
W. Swanson ..... 175 152	J. Schiltz ..... 154 156
W. Markson ..... 158 167	E. Benson ..... 204 181
L. Curn ..... 211 160	W. Swanson ..... 182 176
F. Thonius ..... 167 167	W. Shewalter ..... 172 157
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### Social and Personal.

The W. C. T. U. will hold an institute in the city hall May 4, starting at 11:15 p. m. The institute will close with a silver medal.

The Boy Scouts of Troop No. 1, "a dad's" night last evening and entertained fathers and other men interested in the scout movement. A short comedy, "Sherlock Holmes, Detective," was given and proved highly entertaining. Exhibition of the scout work were given and games were played. Refreshments concluded the pleasant evening. Assistant scoutmasters are needed to work with this troop and it is hoped they can soon be secured.

The women working for the benefit of the American Red Cross are holding a party at the Knights of Pythias hall Saturday afternoon, are meeting with every encouragement. The ticket is going along nicely, nearly every one is donating to the affair so that the luncheon can clear a good amount for the cause.

The Ladies Aid society of the Congregational church will meet Saturday afternoon in the parlor of the church. The hostesses are Mrs. Aernathy, Baker, Blair and Fair.

The Willing Workers will Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Peterson in West street.

The Ladies of Vikings will have a May party in their hall Wednesday evening.

The Eastern Star is making preparations for a May party to be held in hall Thursday evening. There will be old fashioned dances as well as new steps.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will meet Thursday

## IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

You have swollen feet and hands, stiffness and joints. Sharp-shooting, rheumatic pains torture you. You have aching back pain in the lower abdomen, difficulty when urinating. Look out! These are danger signals. Trouble is with your kidneys. Urine acid poisoning, in one form or another, has been known. It may lead to disease of fatal Bright's disease if not checked.

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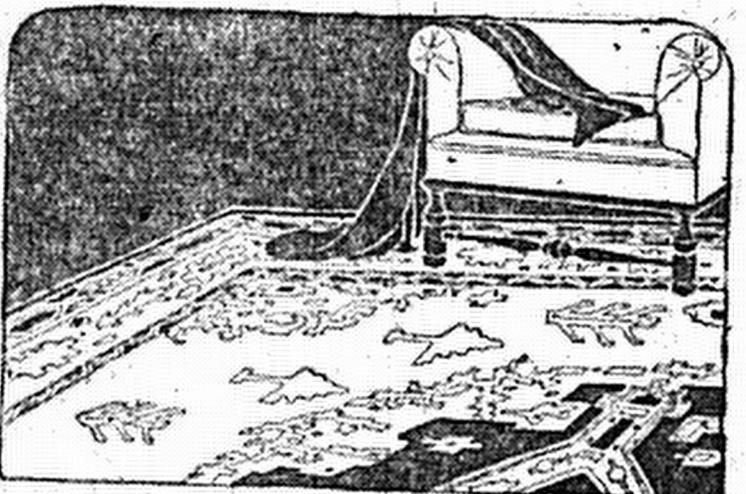
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Encourage Growing of Vegetables  
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Cultivation Free.

In response to President Wilson's appeal "to turn in hosts to the farms," urging the importance of an adequate food supply as the superlative need of the United States, the Chicago & North-Western railroad will at its "bill" by turning over to its thousands of workers for the purpose of raising products for the maintenance of such employees and their families.

A circular letter issued by the management of the Chicago & North-Western railroad has been sent to all division superintendents, reading as follows:

Chicago, April 18.  
Circular Letter No. 1382.

Division Superintendents:

With living expenses constantly rising you should, when consistent, encourage section foremen, agents or others, to utilize available pieces of right of way, that can be thus used without disadvantage or inconvenience to the company, for raising products for the maintenance of such employees and their families. This practice exists now to some extent and it would seem advisable to extend it further reasonably.

When arrangements of this kind are made, advise the land department as a matter of record and they will authorize free rental for such piece of property as employees use for the sustenance of themselves and families.

(Signed) W. J. TOWNE.

Will Give Advice.

The railway will also give advice regarding the planting and culture of such gardens, especially with respect to what vegetables are best raised in various localities, requesting that special attention be given to the raising of potatoes, cabbage, carrots, parsnips and other vegetables which will provide food throughout the winter. This work is being carried on in co-operation with the various universities and agricultural colleges in states thru which the road traverses.

In co-operating with the various agricultural experiment stations, the Chicago & North-Western railroad has posted "farm emergency" posters, appealing to the farmers to "serve the nation, more food this year is patriotism," by producing the utmost this season in growing staple goods, and to avoid trying experimental crops.

Particular attention of farmers is being called to the adaptability of the soil to potato growing in the various regions, and in addition large tracts of heretofore undeveloped land is now being turned to grain growing, vegetable raising or dairying as the result of the railway's work.

The Chicago & North-Western railroad has over 10,000 miles of railway which runs thru the richest agricultural country in America. Allowing about twenty-five feet on each side of the railway for farming and gardening purposes, it is estimated that if all the ground available by this company's liberal offer should be planted by employees, it would comprise over 6,000 acres. The number of employees who will probably take advantage of their company's offer in their behalf to keep pace with the steadily increasing cost of foodstuffs is expected to represent a small army, consisting of all classes, from the section men residing along the line to the officials living at the division points.

Also Helping Farmers.

Representatives of the road are also co-operating with the farmers in obtaining labor to fill the gaps occasioned by the hegira of farm workers who are enlisting in the army.

The Chicago & North-Western railroad, in performing this patriotic duty for its employees, not only realizes that anything done to meet the demands of the American people and increase the production of commodities in this country is vitally important, but that it is a step in the right direction to meet the appeal of President Wilson that the "railways are the arteries of the nation's life, and that when these rests the imminent responsibility of seeing to it that these arteries suffer no obstruction of any kind, no inefficiency, or 'slackened power'." Their slogan is, "To Farms! To Farms!"

## SLAV PEACE TALK DISTORTED BY PRESS

*From "Petrograd Weekly Propaganda" April 10—It is evident from foreign telegrams that the attitude of the Russian democracy toward peace has been misconstrued. It is directed by the forces who have the desire for peace has become more widespread and articulate since the revolution, but it is based on entirely different conceptions from those entertained during the old regime.*

*These new conceptions have nothing to do with a separate peace with Germany. As a matter of fact they have not yet taken any definite form; simply emanating from the new spirit of democracy which wishes to build a foundation for a durable world peace. The idea of a separate peace died here with the old regime. There is no talk of peace among the most advanced realistic factions. There are only those who favor a conference of the working men of the other countries at war, but, until such an event be possible, unanimously declare their patriotic desire to continue the war.*

## TO ASK DISTRIBUTION OF ALL SLAV LANDS

*By Associated Press Leased Wire.*  
New York, April 20.—A dispatch received here today by the Jewish Daily Forward from its Petrograd correspondent says that the Russian congress of the army at the front, in session at Minsk, "has decided to ask for the abolition of private ownership of land and distribution of all land among the peasant population."

A stolen kiss offers its own reward.

## GEN. PETAIN APPOINTED FRENCH CHIEF OF STAFF

*By Associated Press Leased Wire.*  
Paris, April 20, 5:10 a. m.—The appointment of General Petain as chief of staff is generally welcomed as a timely reform which had long been advocated. Petain, as technical adviser to the government, will occupy very much the same position as Gen. Sir William Robertson in London and will be responsible for the general conduct of operations wherever French troops are engaged.

In addition to this appointment it is understood that Petain will contemplate various other measures of re-organization, based on an examination of the military situation and the lessons taught by the recent operations. The Petit Parisien says that certain services which have been shown to be defective will be overhauled and that others will be made and lessened. Those talents which have been most indispensable. The paper adds that this will be done "without prejudice to the disciplining of those who, whatever their previous services, have committed faults and made mistakes."

## BOY SCOUTS GIVEN GROUND FOR POTATOES

Each member of Troop 2 of the Boy Scouts of the Fourth Street Methodist church has pledged himself to raise enough potatoes to feed one soldier. About an acre of ground has been secured on the Evans property on Jackson street and the boys will be given proper instructions in gardening by Scoutmaster Rev. G. F. Courier. There are 20 boys in the troop. The Reverend Mr. Courier said yesterday, "Perhaps we cannot become a part of this conflict, but nevertheless we have a part to play. If my country says it can serve better by raising potatoes, I shall do that. I am encouraging every boy and every man to take some part in raising vegetables so that, next winter, as hardships come, we shall at least help some one by our contributions."

## NEW "Q" GENERAL COUNSE

Oliver Martin Spencer of St. Joseph Mo., has been appointed general counsel of the Burlington railroad, succeeding the late Chester J. Dawes. He has been general counsel for the Missouri district.

Mr. Spencer entered railway service October 1, 1892, with the Missouri Pacific as a clerk in the office of the general southern agent at Chattanooga. After six years of service in this department, during which time he was given several minor promotions, he was appointed traveling passenger agent at Memphis. Ten years later he was transferred to Denver. In 1905 he was promoted to a position in Chicago.

## MUST SAVE TIN

*By Associated Press Leased Wire.*  
Washington, April 20.—The supply of tin cans for products, the department of commerce is seeking to have a board, glass or other substituted for tins by means of non-perishable articles of tobacco, coffee, tea, sugar, powder, powdered paints, soap, lard, cheese, butter powder. The department announced that manufacturers have agreed to do their part in saving tin can stocks, of which manufacturers demand 20 per cent more than manufacturers are able to supply.

## PLAY AT KANEVILLE

A characteristically American play entitled "Deacon Dubbles" was given Saturday evening at the Kaneville high school, by the energetic little Community club, composed of residents of Kaneville and vicinity, for the purpose of raising funds with which to repair the abandoned little church of Kaneville, with the idea of utilizing it as a community club house.

The cast was as follows:

Deacon Dubbles, E. D. Spencer.

Annie Coleman, his nephew, Benjamin Ames.

Rawdon Crawley, a wolf in sheep's clothing, H. V. Osborne.

Major McNutt, auctioneer and justice of the peace, R. H. Hardy.

Deuteronomy Jones, a country product, George Lye.

Rose Raleigh, the little schoolma'am, Iola Greenhill.

Miss Philomena Popover, with ermine on the ducor, Gladys Winegar.

Emily Dale, the richest girl in town, Mrs. Benjamin Ames.

Trizie Coleman, full of mischief, Mrs. George Lye.

Vannie Yenneen, hired girl from Sweden, Mrs. E. D. Spencer.

There were other characters, children, villagers, etc.

The club has been doing some very good historical work. E. D. Spencer in particular having demonstrated considerable talent, and in the person of the thirsty deacon, was quite professional. The lady with the eyes, the deacon was especially good, while the trying part of the villain was well given by Mr. Osborne. In fact all parts were well taken. Mrs. Phelps directed the play, Benjamin Huston was the prompter, and M. DeLois Flanders was in charge of music.

The scenes were typically Yank and a rustic wedding, while the kitchen element was not lacking. During the husking bee there was some very good singing, closing with the singing of the Virginia reel. A solo was furnished also by Vernon Phelps.

There were some of the nation songs, while the high school orchestra furnished excellent music.

When an unusually attractive girl gets married even the married mourn.

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# RTS

## 4 MAJOR LEAGUE PLAYERS SUBJECT TO WAR SERVICE

New York, May 1.—Approximately 214 in both big leagues will be drafted in call goes out before the end of the month. One hundred and thirteen of these come from the American league and from Governor Tanner's circuit.

## JOLIET WANTS GAMES

The Joliet Dodgers have reorganized for the season of 1917 and would like to book games against Aurora teams. The Dodgers have one of the strongest fielding teams in Joliet. For games call either Votlik, Chicago phone 2028-R, or W. 396 Haynor avenue, Joliet, Ill.

## SPRING FOOTBALL

[By Associated Press, Latest Wire.]  
Lafayette, Ind., May 1.—Spring football is holding its own in interest among the schools at Purdue university. About 40 men turn out for practice under Coach O'Donnell.

While most of the work thus far has been of a preliminary nature a number of plays have been given the squad and Coach O'Donnell has the men line up for a scrimmage.

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## JUDGE HOOVER BAR SPEAKER

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ant Topic on Program.

MEET MAY 31 AT DANVILLE

Judge S. N. Hoover of Aurora, has been chosen by the Illinois Bar association to speak on county courts, at the state convention to be held at Danville, May 31. Judge Hoover is on the Kane county court bench.

"The Reorganization of the State Judiciary Under the New Constitution" is the general subject which will be discussed.

The Program.

The complete program will be as follows:

Municipal courts—Judge Harry Olson, Chicago, chief justice of municipal court.

City courts—Judge J. J. Cooke, Beardstown.

County courts—Judge S. N. Hoover, Aurora.

Probate courts—Judge Walter A. Clinch, Peoria.

Criminal courts—Judge George Karsten, of criminal court, Chicago.

Circuit courts—Judge William K. Whitfield, Decatur, and Judge Jesse A. Baldwin, Chicago.

Appellate courts—Justice Dorrance J. Dibell, Joliet (this district).

Supreme court—Justice James H. Cartwright, Oregon (this district).

There will be a banquet in the evening and Chief Justice Charles C. Craig of the Illinois supreme court will be toastmaster.

The Speakers.

The following will speak at the banquet:

Judge J. Ols Humphrey of United States district court, Springfield.

Judge Albert C. Barnes, Chicago.

Judge James C. McBride, Taylorville.

Judge George A. Crow, East St. Louis.

Judge Louis M. Beckhow, Rockford.

Justice Orrin M. Carter, Chicago, of the supreme court.

The Allison Bible classes will meet at the following places this week:

No. 2—First Presbyterian church, corner Fox and Fourth streets, Wednesday 2:30 p.m.

No. 8—Mrs. H. Routhan, 525 South Fourth street, Tuesday 2:30 p.m.

No. 9—Mrs. Grey, 485 Spring street, Tuesday 7:45 p.m.

No. 10—Mrs. Kittee, Indian avenue, Wednesday 2:30 a.m.

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### IN ORATORY CONTEST

Donald McDonald, a senior at East High, will represent the school in the finals of the state interscholastic oratorical contest to be held May 19 at the University of Illinois. McDonald took first place in the division of impromptu speaking at the district contest at DeKalb Friday evening. He spoke on the "Adamson Law."

Miss Sarah Sibbinger of East High, the only girl entered in the contest, did not place. Freeport contestants secured the other two places as representatives of this district. George Litscomb, a colored boy, coming second in the impromptu division and Roman Elder first in the prepared speech class.

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### TRINITY CHURCH NOTE

The rector will meet with the confirmation class Wednesday evening at 7:45 in the church, with the junior class Thursday at noon at 6 o'clock in the guild room of parish house.

The Mission Study class will at the home of Mrs. R. B. Lat Downer, place Tuesday, afternoon 2:30. Just before the class open Woman's auxiliary will meet for brief business session.

The Altar guild will meet Thursday evening in the guild room of parish house, at 8 o'clock.

The Parish Daughters will in the parish house Thursday evening at 6:30 and will dine together, after which a business session will be held in the auditorium.

The Boy Scouts will meet in scout room of the parish house day evening at 7:30. Frank Los has been appointed scoutmaster the rector.

The Rt. Rev. Sheldon M. Griswold, bishop suffragan of the see of Chicago, will visit the parish next Sunday, and at the service will administer confirmation and preach. The public is cordially invited.

The Fox river valley church institute will convene at the church on the afternoon and eve of Sunday, May 27. The afternoon session will be held in the parish house at 2 o'clock. While the program is not yet completed that one the announcement can be made that one afternoon speakers will be Franklyn H. Spencer, field secret for the middle west of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, who will speak on "Increasing the Attendance Sunday School and Holding Bazaar." "Give to Fifteen Years Ago," 50c. Sessions will be held 7:30 o'clock, when the preacher will be the Rev. Walter G. Pond, dean of the cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul, Chicago. Dean Pond is an Avery boy, and doubtless will be greeted by a large congregation.

Members of Trinity are rejoicing over the fact that the Episcopal church has succeeded in raising \$50,000 for the church pension fund the clergy. Originally the goal was \$5,000,000, but the money kept coming in. Trinity is credited with a contribution of over \$2,000 to the cause.

The eightieth annual convention of the diocese of Chicago will meet at the cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul, Chicago, May 22 and 23. Delegates from Trinity will be the rector, Kilbourne, F. G. Adamson, J. White, R. W. Spiller and E. Winans.

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Mr. Weirich tells in his letter how a complication of troubles wears one down until one grows weaker, as the condition tends to become chronic, nourishing itself on the patient's very life blood. There are many who are afflicted in this way and to whom the Neuropathic method of the Inter-State Doctors points the way to a real cure.

Aurora, Ill., Mar. 24, 1917.

Dear Doctors:—  
For a number of years I was afflicted with stomach trouble, nervousness and a rundown condition. I had no appetite whatever; what little I did eat I could not digest as it would form gas on my stomach. My kidneys and liver were also affected and I had pain in my back and side. I always felt tired and worn out and was pale and anemic, with no ambition or energy to do anything.

My condition began to get very serious and I decided to try the Inter-State Doctors as I had heard so much about them. It was not long after taking their treatment that I noticed improvement, and now I eat anything I want, my cheeks are red as an apple, my nerves are steady and I sleep well and have the best appetite I have had for years. I have steadily gained in strength and feel so well and full of energy and ambition that it is a pleasure for me to recommend the Inter-State Doctors to all in search of health.

ARTHUR WEIRICH.

## WEST SCHOOL BOARD MEETS TO ORGANIZE

Empowers Superintendent and  
Principal to Give Credits  
to Boys in Army.

McDowell and Merrick Re-elected  
Take No Action on Farm  
Work.

The west side board of education last night left the matter of granting credit for the semester's work to the boys who enlisted in the army to the superintendent and principal of West High with power to act as best fit the individual case. The board made this a general ruling for all boys who may enlist or leave school to work on farms.

New Board Organized.  
The board organized for the year at the meeting. Dr. D. D. Culver succeeded John W. Raymond as president and Mrs. George McGinnis succeeding James Shaw who also retired as secretary. His successor as secretary will be elected at a special meeting of the board to be held Saturday night, when the teachers for the year will also be elected.

Superintendent S. K. McDowell and Principal H. C. Merrick of West High were re-elected for the coming year with increases in salary. The salary of Supt. McDowell was advanced from \$3,000 to \$3,100 and that of Principal Merrick from \$1,850 to \$2,000. The board decided not to take any action encouraging the boys of the school to seek places on farms. The matter will be left to the parents of the boys and the school authorities.

## INJUNCTION BARS ROE FROM MOVING HOUSES

A temporary injunction restraining Lawrence Roe, a house mover, from prosecuting his business in Aurora, was granted in the circuit court yesterday at Geneva on application of August Malmgren of Garfield avenue.

Malmgren stated that he owns 18 shares (value \$1,800) of the Aurora Construction & House Moving company, which he purchased from Roe et al., and that there was an agreement that Roe et al. should not engage in the business for a period of three years after the sale of the Aurora Construction company. The deal was closed March 11, 1915. It is claimed that Roe has engaged in the business contrary to the alleged agreement. With less than one year of the alleged agreement to run the temporary injunction is for that unexpired period.

## MILK TRAIN EARLIER

The milk train No. 1 on the Burlington will change its running time next Sunday, May 6. It was announced in The Beacon-News a few nights ago that this train would probably have its running time shortened.

Orders were received at the local office of the Burlington this morning stating that the train, operating under the new schedule will leave Chicago at 12:30 p. m. and arrive in Aurora at 8:17 p. m., leaving Aurora at 2:30 and arriving at Shabbona, its destination at 2:40. The train is now leaving Aurora at 4:20 p. m., two hours later.

The order states that this is the only change of time in passenger trains to be made at this time but rumors are to the effect that several of the Burlington passenger trains are soon to be taken out of service entirely, as will be done on other roads. The railroads are cooperating with the government and this is to be done in order to have shipping facilities in good condition to handle troops and supplies needed.

By the change of schedule in the milk train the crew, which leaves Shabbona every morning and makes a round trip to Chicago, will be cut down two hours each day in their time.

## BIG ROCK SOLDIER WOUNDED IN SERVICE

Private Arthur Sibby of Big Rock, a member of the Illinois national guard stationed "somewhere in Illinois," is the first Kane county resident to be injured since the war by Germany against this country was recognized by this government one month ago.

Sibby was fired at by an unseen enemy while on duty at Rock Island protecting the Rock Island arsenal. Fortunately the enemy made a poor shot, for the bullet merely grazed the young soldier's hand.

Rev. G. H. Varden Dies.  
Lexington, Ky., May 1.—The Rev. George H. Varden, minister of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, author, educator and Baptist minister of national fame, died here today. He was 82 years old.

## Obituary

An Epitaph.  
In memory of Frank Comfort, who passed away April 1, 1917.

(By Mary E. Myron) \*  
When life looked so bright,  
In its setting,  
And hope shone so bright,  
As a star.

Then a cloud gathered small  
In the twilight,  
So tiny just seen  
From afar.

But as days passed it grew  
With the shadows  
And darkened nor  
Lifted the gloom.

That settled and stayed  
And grew stronger,  
Showing the end  
Wore the tomb.

Ah, yes, but your soul,  
In its fitting,  
Went straight to  
The mansion above.

And we know that  
Our Father in heaven,  
Will keep you  
With all that we love.

## The Business of Being a Housewife

By Jean Prescott Adams

If you have questions to ask on special subjects that you wish covered in these columns, write to Miss Adams, 111 East 42nd Street, New York, and she will gladly take them up. If your difficulties are too personal or lack general interest, Mrs. Adams will reply by letter, if a stamp is enclosed.

"I see by the papers we housewives are to have an opportunity to serve Uncle Sam in a very effective manner. We are to go on a campaign of conservation of food to meet war conditions," said the enthusiastic Mrs. Young Wife to her friend, the would-be Red Cross nurse. "Yes," was the enthusiastic reply. "You home folks will feed our boys and we will take care of them in the field. I'm so glad we can all help in this terrible crisis."

"I'm going to begin my conservation at home and I'm going to begin with butter," said Mrs. Young Wife. "Butter costs more than any other item on my bills. I just can't afford it. John won't like it but we will just have to get accustomed to using oleomargarine. I dare say we will get accustomed to many substitutes before the war ends and we can hope for a return to normal prices again."

"I attended a cooking school a few weeks ago and heard a food expert tell all about oleomargarine—how it was first made when the French butter supply was short after the Franco-Prussian war. Americans took up the idea and improved upon the product adding cream or butter to give butter flavor.

The cooking teacher made cakes and none of us could tell the difference between those made with oleomargarine and those made with butter. Since that time I've used it in making cakes and seasoning vegetables. This cooking expert said it could well be used as a spread on bread and I've decided to order it instead of butter hereafter."

"Well," replied the Red Cross nurse, "I'm not doing any buying or home managing yet, but I too learned something new at a cooking school. Learned about the new vegetable shortening known as Vegetole which can be used for both shortening and deep fat frying. It is also an economical product. Why don't you order that, too?"

"Tell me about it! I'm anxious to learn all possible about good fats which are inexpensive."

"Vegetole is a pure vegetable shortening recommended as the alternative for pure leaf lard during high price times. It is about the consistency of a good lard and can be cut into pastry or creamed in cake making.

"Mother used it in frying doughnuts and if you housewives give us as things as these in your pre-cooking I shall be willing when I'm nursing at ever get there," replied Mrs. nurse.

**Spring Drinks.** Coming of the warm weather, every home manager thinks to the "whetting" of appetites of her family, by little planning and by adding the necessary "pops" serving a tempting fruit juice or many varied drinks, which are in

now that the big national producers have created such an extensive industry in making this delicious, economical and pure drink. Then too, the attractively colored and served cool drink taken in the place quite universally in warm weather of the customary afternoon tea—coffee or chocolate. If these beverages are sold at all, they are served chilled and iced. It must be remembered that drinks made of fruit juices have besides their refreshing and appetizing qualities, a certain amount of food value in their mineral salts and sugar contents. Especially is this the case with grape juice. Every housewife will be interested in saving the following recipe which will save her time and trouble, because they have been care-

fully tested as to flavor and exact amounts needed in making the mixture.

**FRUIT LEMONADE.** One cup orange juice, one-half cup pineapple juice, one-half cup orange juice and one cup grape juice, one cup water and one-fourth cup sugar. Dissolve the sugar in water, add the fruit juices and serve ice cold.

**GRAPE PUNCH NO. 1.** One-half cup of juice from canned peaches, one-half cup juice from canned pears, the juice of three lemons, the juice of one grapefruit, one cup of water, two cups of grape juice and one-fourth cup of sugar. Dissolve sugar in the water, add to the fruit juices. Allow to stand in the refrigerator. Serve very cold, with cracked ice if possible.

**GRAPE PUNCH NO. 2.** One-fourth cup of maraschino juice, one-half cup of lemon juice, one-fourth cup orange juice, one cup water, one-fourth cup of sugar and two cups of grape juice. Dissolve sugar in water and fruit juices. Leave in the refrigerator several hours to blend the flavors. Serve very cold. Cracked ice in the glass adds to the effect of the beverage.

**GRAPE JUICE PUNCH.** WITH TEA. One cup orange pithos tea, one cup lemon juice, two cups grape juice, one-fourth cup sugar. Dissolve sugar in tea, add fruit juices. Place in refrigerator to cool and blend. Serve very cold.

**A Forenoon "Bite".** Forenoon "Bite" for help and self. Thin sandwiches of summer sausage and a glass of grape juice.

**LUNCHEON.** Soups. Scrambled Eggs. Creamed Potatoes. Lettuce. Cake. DINNER. Sliced Boiled Ham. Potato Balls. Pineapple Garnish. Spanish Rice. Figs à la Reni. Coffees.

**BAKED HAM.** Cover the ham with cold water and let it simmer long enough to loosen the skin probably three or four hours. After removing the skin add one teaspoon of vinegar, one cup of hot water in which one teaspoon of dry mustard has been dissolved. Bake slowly two hours, basting frequently. Cover the ham with coarse brown sugar and stick cloves into the fat about an inch apart. Do not baste again until the sugar has formed a thick crust. Cook about an hour.

**LAYER CAKE.** Work one-third cup pure leaf lard until creamy, using a wooden cake spoon and add gradually, while beating constantly, two cups brown sugar, then add two squares unsweetened chocolate (melted in a saucepan placed over hot water), and two eggs beaten until light. Add alternatively to first mixture one-half cup milk, and two cups pastry flour, mixed and sifted with one teaspoon soda and one-fourth teaspoon salt. Turn into a greased and floured tin, and bake in a moderate oven 25 minutes.

**SPANISH RICE.** Fry three thin slices of bacon until crisp. Break up into small bits. Add a teaspoonful of onion, sliced thin and minced, and a cupful of canned tomatoes. Let simmer and add a cup and a half of boiled rice, a few slices of sweet green pepper, a dessert spoon of salt and a dash of paprika. Cook until rice is heated through. Serve hot.

**FIGS à LA RENI.** Place slices of yesterday's cake in individual dishes and moisten with juice of canned figs. Cut canned whole figs in half, place two halves on each piece of cake and cover with whipped cream or meringue.

### Travellette

By Niksah

#### A Persian Marriage.

The marriage ceremonies which delineate a wedding among the Mohammedans of Persia are among the most curious and elaborate in the world. Any American bridegroom who dislikes what men are wont to describe as "fuss and bother" of a formal wedding should regard the case of his Persian brother and take heart.

The Persian ceremony may take from one to three weeks for its completion. Often the betrothal has been arranged by the parents when the principals are still young children. When the time for the marriage arrives, the guests are summoned by heralds, who go about the neighboring villages bearing gifts of pippies, cloves and roses to accompany the bridegroom. When some powerful personage is to be invited, the father of the groom does not send herald but goes himself, bearing a rich present as he can afford to give.

Before the wedding, there is also a curious little business arrangement entered into. This is the matter of "kaben," or the price of divorce. A sum is agreed upon in advance by the payment of which the future husband can put aside his wife at any time. When it is desired to make divorce difficult, the "kaben" is set at some impossible sum or commodity. The husband may be required to give the bride a hundred-weight of mosquito wings, or one of his arms or legs before he can divorce her, a condition which generally makes the marriage a permanent affair.

The wedding festivities extend over days. The guests are given rooms in the house and served with rich foods and sweetmeats. Musicians and dancing girls are hired to entertain them, and if the families of the bride and groom are rich, the favorite sport of the Persians may be staged by a pair of professional acrobats.

After the celebration has lasted

"A Burnt Offering."

Did you ever see a mortgage?

Not much to see—just paper.

But while not very big, sometimes it cuts a great big caper.

We used to have one or our home.

The man who put it there.

Came 'round one time, when Pa was sick.

I don't think that was fair.

Ma sure was lookin' sorrowful.

And in an awful fury.

But Pa spoke up and said, "My dear, I wish you wouldn't worry."

Ma tried to be more cheerful then.

And wiped her tears away.

But she didn't act quite natural.

Beginnin' from that day.

But 'three years from next spring.'

And she sent me with the money.

She seemed so—well, so scary like,

I couldn't call it funny.

But Pa got well and strong again.

And world like everything.

And once I heard them 'alchin' low.'

'Bout three years from next spring.'

We didn't go to many shows;

Just now and then a treat;

We didn't wear real stylish clo'

But we had enough to eat.

At last, one night, when Pa came

With something in his hand;

A wavin' it above his head—

A whistlin' to beat the band.

He says to Ma, "We're free once more.

The last cent has been paid.

And you're to have the swelllest hat

That every gal was made."

"When supper's over, Son," said he.

You build a rousin' fire,

And we'll add something to it,

That will make the flames go nigher."

The fire was built and I was told

To haave that mortgage in it.

And—Puff!—it went right up in

smoke.

In just about a minute.

I guess Ma cried a little bit.

Pa grinned, and sort o'wofe,

"I'll bet that dash dot measly thing

Won't make her cry no more."

Then Ma kissed Pa and kissed me too.

With cheeks a growin' red,

And Pa said, "Son, our job is done.

It's time to go to bed."

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## BOMBARD DUTCH CITY

(By Associated Press. *Leave twice!*  
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